

THE PILEUP

Weekly DX Net : Wednesday Evenings 8:30 ET
DX Info Repeaters: 147.36 Boone, NC
147.18 AA4SC Charlotte, NC

Packet Cluster : KD4IL 145.09 1200 baud
145.75 2400 baud

July 1989

OOOPS!! I goofed. Many of you have pointed out that the date of the meeting was missing from the June newsletter. I can assure everyone that the omission was unintentional and it was a cruel joke played on my by my word processor. Never proof read your own work!

The summer meeting of the CDXA is as follows :

Date : Saturday, July 8, 1989
Time : Happy 1/2 Hour at 7:30 PM (1930Z), Dinner at 8:00 PM (2000Z)
Location : The Branding Iron
Directions from Charlotte :

Take I77 South to the first Rock Hill exit. It is marked for highway 161. Take a left onto 161 and go to the first light at the intersection of 161 and 21. Take a left onto 21 and go past the Celanese facility. The Branding Iron is on the right after Celanese and before the Catawba River Bridge. (directions courtesy WA4UNZ)

Program :
Our guest speaker will be Ron Oats, AA4VK who took part in the joint US/Soviet expedition. Thanks to Skip, WA4UUP for arranging the club meeting and program.

The CDXA expedition to St. Martin was a qualified success. Despite dismal propagation, the group accumulated around 2000 QSOs. Ken, WA4UNZ is still recovering from the trip and his complete report on the expedition will be forthcoming in the August newsletter. The warm, tropical breezes and the exotic beverages take their toll.

DX info (ARRL via KD4IL):

Marquesas. FO5LZ has been operating around 14.250 Mhz by himself and doing a good job.

RASD. SORASD has been active on 14.222 Mhz around 1200Z.

Chad. TT8CW has been active around 14.250 and should be there ending the first week of July.

Cocos. TI9FAG has been active on 14.195 around 1200Z and also 0000 to 0300 Z.

Tyvola. SM0KEY has been active on 10.000 Ghz around 1200-1300 Z. Propagation has been from the West. Qs1 direct.

The CDXA extends a warm thanks to ICOM for their sponsorship of the recent expedition to St. Martin. The equipment operated flawlessly and WA4UNZ reports that the technical support in setting up the power supplies to operate on 240 was excellent.

QRZ DX reports that :

Rotuma. 3D2XV should be active beginning the end of June.

Conway Reef.(3D2). Although not yet accepted as a DXCC country, OH1RY and OH2BAD are scheduling trips in late August or September.

WWVH is now broadcasting geophysical reports at 45 minutes past each hour. The broadcasts contain most propagation information. WWV broadcasts the propagation information at 18 minutes past each hour.

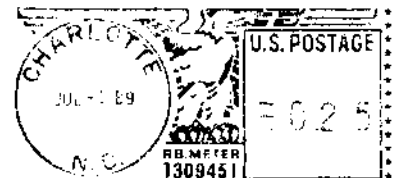
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Skip, WA4UUP 364-4750

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